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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GENETICALLY TREATING CARDIAC CONDUCTION DISTURBANCESCommissioner for Patents  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

X Patent Application Transmittal

X Specification:

Total pages: 54 (including claims and abstract: Spec. 44 sheets; Claims 9 sheets; Abstract - 1 sheet.

X Drawings:

Total sheets: 6  
☐ formal ☒ informal

## Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:

- ☐ newly executed  
X copy from prior application  
☐ Deletion of Inventor(s) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))  
☐ Incorporation by Reference - *The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied above is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.*

## Accompanying application parts:

- ☐ Notification of filing a  
X Recorded Assignment of prior application  
☐ Assignment cover sheet of prior application  
X Information Disclosure Statement of prior application  
X PTO Form 1449 of prior application  
☐ Copies of IDS citations  
X Preliminary Amendment  
☐ A copy of the Petition or Conditional Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application.  
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## IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION:

X Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
of prior application No. 08/682,277.X Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application is a X continuation  
a' ☐ division ☐ continuation in part of application number 08/682,277, filed July 17, 1996.☐ Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.  
(At least the original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)

X The prior application is assigned of record to Medtronic, Inc.

X The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to: Medtronic, Inc.

☐ This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application(s) Serial No.(s)\_\_\_\_\_, filed\_\_\_\_\_.

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FEE CALCULATION	No. of Claims Filed	Claims Included in Base Fee	No. of Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	45	20	= 25	x 18	\$ 450
Independent Claims	06	03	= 03	x 78	\$ 234
Multiple Dependent Claims				+ 260	
Basic Filing Fee					\$ 760
TOTAL					\$1444

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In re Application of: Kenneth B. Stokes, et al.

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## BOX ASSIGNMENTS

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Sir/Madam:

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- ☒ Transmittal (in duplicate)
- ☒ Request for Correction on Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document
- ☒ Copy of incorrect Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document
- ☒ Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- ☒ Assignment
- ☒ Return Postcard

- Applicant hereby petitions for a 0 month(s) extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 the sum of \$ 40.00 (Recordal fee).
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credits to Deposit Account No. 13-2546 which may have been overlooked on this Amendment Transmittal with regard to this filing. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed.
- Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time.

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